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WORLD COFFEE PRODUCTION ESTIMATE REDUCED

Summary

Total 1974-75 coffee production, at 77.4 million bags, will be about 1.6 million bags less than the December estimate. Exportable production currently is forecast at approximately 58.1 million bags (132.276 lb each), down about 700,000 bags from the previous figure. Exportable production represents total harvested production minus domestic consumption in the producing countries. It does not take into account stocks from previous harvests that may still be available in some producing countries.

The new estimates result from adjustments in a number of countries, notably Colombia, based on recent information. Some small revisions have also been made in the estimates for 1973-74, which are now carried as 62.3 million bags total production, of which about 43.5 million bags were available for export from that crop.

Production

NORTH AMERICA. The 1974-75 production is expected to be slightly less than the previous estimate, but will be 3 percent greater than the 1973-74 crop.

Total production for 1974-75 in **Costa Rica** has been revised downward from the January estimate by 3 percent to 1.35 million bags, a 15 percent decline from the 1973-74 production total. The decreased harvest is the result of the natural tendency for a large crop to be followed by a smaller one. Exportable production for 1974-75 has been revised downward to just under 1.2 million bags.

The 1974-75 production estimate for the **Dominican Republic** remains unchanged from the previous estimate of 750,000 bags. Total production for the 1973-74 crop has been revised upward to 845,000 bags as the result of excellent crops in several areas. The decreased production in 1974-75 was blamed on heavy rainfall in the Cibao area at harvesting time and lower production in other areas. Dominican coffee production is expected to remain relatively stable in the near future.

El Salvador's 1974-75 coffee crop is expected to be 2.65 million bags, an upward revision of 80,000 bags from the

previous estimate, and an increase of 28 percent over the 1973-74 crop. The increased crop is a result of exceptionally favorable weather conditions that have persisted throughout the growing and harvesting seasons. Exportable production for 1974-75 is expected to be about 2.5 million bags.

The 1974-75 coffee harvest in **Guatemala** was about 2.2 million bags, of which 1.9 million bags will be exportable. The crop was reduced by volcanic eruptions that damaged coffee plantations in some areas. Heavy flowering during the past few months has stimulated optimistic crop expectations for the 1975-76 season among farmers affected by rising costs of production.

Haiti's total production for 1974-75 is expected to be about 535,000 bags, a slight downward revision from the last report. Per hectare yields in Haiti are among the lowest in the world, and production will probably remain at its present level in the near future. The Haitian Government hopes that the 5-year program sponsored by the U.S. Agency for International Development will assist small producers in expanding output.

Total production in **Mexico** for 1974-75 is anticipated to be about 3.5 million bags, a 6 percent increase over the 1973-74 harvest of 3.3 million bags.

Nicaragua's crop for 1974-75 is expected to be about 650,000 bags, with exportable production of approximately 560,000 bags.

SOUTH AMERICA. Production in South America for the 1974-75 crop was about 38.6 million bags, a 2.5 percent downward revision from the January estimate. Exportable production is estimated at 27.3 million bags.

Total production for **Brazil** in 1974-75 is expected to be 27 million bags, of which 18.6 million bags are exportable. Favorable weather conditions in Parana and Minas Gerais, effective control of leaf rust, and adequate fertilizer applications have contributed to the large 1974-75 crop. The Brazilian Coffee Institute (IBC) has made a preliminary estimate of the 1975-76 crop at 21 million bags. The IBC has also reported satisfactory results with the coffee-tree renewal program. During the past 5 crop years, 1969-70 through 1973-74, Brazil has added to or substituted for about one-third of the 2.3 billion coffee trees

existing in 1969 with 730 million new high yielding trees.

The 1974-75 crop estimate in **Colombia** has been revised downward by 10.5 percent to 8.5 million bags on the basis of recent information. Exportable production in 1974-75 has also been revised to 6.9 million bags.

Peru's coffee production has been very stable over the past few years, and is expected to reach 900,000 bags for 1974-75. Exportable production is estimated at 640,000 bags. There has been a lack of renewal plantings in recent years as a partial result of increased production costs and the tightness of credit to the coffee-producing sector.

Total production in **Ecuador** for 1974-75 is expected to be just over 1 million bags, an 18 percent increase over the 1973-74 crop. Exportable production for 1974-75 is estimated at 725,000 bags. Favorable weather conditions throughout the growing and harvesting seasons were primarily responsible for the increased crop. Per hectare yields in Ecuador are very low because of minimal cultural practices.

AFRICA. Total African production in 1974-75 was 19.3 million bags. The 1974-75 production estimate for **Angola** has been revised downward by 600,000 bags to 3 million bags, based on recent information. Exportable production for 1974-75 is now estimated at 2.9 million bags.

Total production in **Cameroon** for 1974-75 has been revised upward by 250,000 bags to 1.5 million bags, equal to the 1973-74 crop.

Ethiopia's 1974-75 coffee crop showed a recovery from the drought in 1973-74, and is expected to be just over 2 million bags, of which 1.3 million bags will be exportable. The Ethiopian Government announced on March 3 a land reform program that included the assignment of a specific area of free land to each farmer and the establishment of collective farms throughout the country. What impact the decree will have on Ethiopian coffee production is uncertain at this time.

Coffee production in the **Ivory Coast** for the 1974-75 crop is expected to be about 4 million bags—a 22 percent increase over the 1973-74 crop, which was adversely affected by drought. Exportable production for 1974-75 is estimated at 3.9 million bags. Ivory Coast officials hope that further development of the Arabusta (an Arabica-Robusta hybrid) variety will result in larger and more stable production in the future.

Kenya's coffee harvest for 1974-75 is estimated at 1.1 million bags, virtually all of which will be exportable. Weather conditions in Kenya have been somewhat irregular, as good rains persisted through October-November 1974, followed by a severe drought beginning in December. The recent arid conditions will particularly affect the small-holding coffee sector, which has no irrigation facilities and now produces more than half of Kenya's total coffee crop. The drought has, however, stemmed the incidence of coffee berry disease.

Uganda's total coffee crop for 1974-75 is estimated at 3.1 million bags, most of which will be exportable. The production estimate for **Zaire** remains unchanged from the January estimate at 1.1 million bags, with exportable production of 975,000 bags.

ASIA. Total Asian production in 1974-75 was 5.6 million bags. Total production in **India** for 1974-75 is expected to be approximately 1.7 million bags, a 9 percent increase over the 1973-74 crop. Exportable production for 1974-75 is estimated at 855,000 bags. The Indian Coffee Board is continuing with its plan to plant an additional 40,000 acres with coffee in the next 5 years.

The 1974-75 coffee harvest in **Papua New Guinea** is expected to total 650,000 bags, a 4 percent increase over the 1973-74 crop. The increase in production has been largely the result of favorable weather conditions and the coming into bearing of a greater number of trees.

Other Developments

Imports of green coffee by the main consuming countries for 1974 showed a decrease from the 1973 level. Trade sources estimate that imports of green coffee by the European Community for 1974 will be about 600,000 bags below the 20.1 million bags imported in 1973, a decrease of about 3 percent.

U.S. imports of green coffee for calendar 1974 totaled 19.2 million bags, a 12 percent decrease from the 21.85 million bags imported in 1973. The decreased volume of U.S. imports was mainly a result of a large drawdown in green coffee inventories. Stocks of green coffee in the United States at the end of December 1974 were approximately 3 million bags, a 42 percent reduction from the 1974 high of 5.2 million bags reached in May. U.S. imports of soluble coffee in 1974 were a record 1.6 million bags, a 5 percent increase over 1973 imports.

Green coffee purchases by the major importing countries have continued to meet only immediately foreseeable needs, and prices in the first quarter of 1975 have softened from end of fourth-quarter 1974 levels.

Central American Milds decreased 19 percent from the average December level, selling for 49.5 cents (New York spot price) on March 25. Colombian Milds decreased 14 percent to 70 cents, and Ambriz BB (African Robustas) showed a decline of 13 percent to 49 cents as of the end of March. Santos 4's (Brazils) increased 5 percent to 72 cents. Brazil continues, however, to make discount sales. The average retail price of regular ground coffee in the United States reached a record \$1.23 per pound in 1974.

Reflecting the inventory drawdown of green coffee in importing countries, total exports in 1973-74 were approximately 55.6 million bags, a 7 percent decrease from the 1972-73 export volume.

Brazil's green coffee exports of 14.1 million bags in 1973-74 were the lowest since the 1964-65 coffee year. In an effort to bolster the sagging volume of Brazilian coffee exports in 1974-75, the IBC has begun an active sales policy, including special contracts with some European countries.

Exports of coffee from Colombia for 1973-74 were 7.4 million bags, an 18 percent increase over the 1972-73 export level.

Total earnings from coffee exports in calendar 1973 were a record \$4.2 billion, a 34 percent increase over 1972. Major producing countries deriving more than 20 percent of their export earnings from coffee included El Salvador, Costa Rica, Colombia, Brazil, and virtually all of the African producers.

Representatives of 38 coffee-producing countries, accounting for about 90 percent of world coffee production, met in San Salvador February 14-16 to discuss producer policies aimed at maintaining world coffee prices.

The Working Group on the Negotiation of a New International Coffee Agreement held a fourth series of meetings in London March 17-22 to continue discussion of proposals for a new Agreement. Much of the discussion thus far has been of a general nature. The final Working Group meeting was scheduled for April. The present Agreement (without economic provisions) is likely to be extended by protocol until September 30, 1976. A negotiating conference will meet this summer in London, June 24-July 11.

COFFEE, GREEN: TOTAL PRODUCTION IN SPECIFIED COUNTRIES - AVERAGE 1965-66/1969-70: ANNUAL 1970-71/1974-75
(IN THOUSANDS OF BAGS) 2/

REGION AND COUNTRY	AVERAGE 1965-66/1969-70	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75
NORTH AMERICA:						
COSTA RICA.....	1,250	1,250	1,350	1,335	1,590	1,350
CUBA.....	472	475	460	475	500	450
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	587	700	715	750	845	750
EL SALVADOR.....	2,116	2,170	2,600	2,100	2,070	2,650
GUADELOUPE.....	4	1	1	1	1	1
GUATEMALA.....	1,812	1,840	2,100	2,250	2,200	2,200
HAITI.....	497	550	575	525	550	535
HONDURAS.....	456	570	700	850	775	735
JAMAICA.....	20	20	24	22	30	20
MARTINIQUE.....	3	1	1	1	1	1
MEXICO.....	2,895	3,200	3,400	3,700	3,300	3,500
NICARAGUA.....	520	650	700	570	595	650
PANAMA.....	80	75	88	82	72	68
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	55	69	49	50	30	38
US-HAWAII.....	39	31	21	22	19	18
US-PUERTO RICO.....	244	240	150	200	220	200
TOTAL.....	11,050	11,842	12,934	12,933	12,788	13,166
SOUTH AMERICA:						
BOLIVIA.....	122	75	85	95	95	90
BRAZIL.....	23,240	9,750	23,600	24,000	14,500	27,000
COLOMBIA.....	8,030	7,800	7,200	8,800	7,800	8,500
ECUADOR 3/.....	969	1,300	1,100	1,100	870	1,025
GUYANA.....	19	11	10	12	10	10
PARAGUAY.....	54	33	58	50	40	45
PERU.....	888	990	1,030	1,030	1,000	900
SURINAM.....	7	3	3	3	3	3
VENEZUELA.....	807	900	950	1,100	960	1,000
TOTAL.....	34,136	20,862	34,036	36,190	25,278	38,573
AFRICA:						
ANGOLA.....	3,180	3,300	3,400	3,500	3,200	3,000
BURUNDI.....	254	350	400	355	350	400
CAMEROON.....	1,120	1,150	1,250	1,440	1,500	1,500
CAPE VERDE ISLANDS.....	2	1	1	1	1	1
CENT AFRICAN REP.....	173	160	175	180	190	180
COMORO ISLANDS.....	3	3	2	2	2	2
CONGO, BRAZZAVILLE.....	15	15	14	14	10	10
DAHOMEY.....	19	15	15	15	13	14
EQUATORIAL GUINEA.....	129	120	115	115	105	120
ETHIOPIA.....	1,814	2,100	2,150	2,100	1,700	2,050
GABON.....	17	15	10	15	9	10
GHANA.....	82	75	80	80	45	45
GUINEA.....	166	150	100	125	105	115
IVORY COAST.....	3,850	4,000	4,475	5,050	3,285	4,000
KENYA.....	832	1,000	1,000	1,265	1,100	1,100
LIBERIA.....	65	85	70	85	65	75
MALAGASY REPUBLIC.....	904	1,300	965	1,000	1,000	1,100
NIGERIA.....	44	90	70	70	38	40
RWANDA.....	168	250	260	186	266	256
SAO TOME-PRINCIPE.....	6	3	2	2	2	2
SIERRA LEONE.....	90	125	95	135	67	133
TANZANIA.....	823	950	850	800	700	850
TOGO.....	198	200	200	200	180	200
UGANDA.....	2,887	3,000	2,850	3,300	3,100	3,100
ZAIRE (CONGO,K).....	995	1,350	1,300	1,380	1,150	1,085
TOTAL.....	17,835	19,807	19,849	21,415	18,183	19,388
ASIA:						
INDIA.....	1,209	1,900	1,200	1,580	1,535	1,675
INDONESIA.....	2,080	2,350	2,250	2,700	2,750	2,800
MALAYSIA.....	120	60	63	65	67	70
PHILIPPINES.....	741	840	835	850	865	900
PORTUGUESE TIMOR.....	47	50	65	65	60	65
VIETNAM SOUTH.....	56	50	50	55	55	60
YEMEN.....	65	50	45	45	25	35
TOTAL.....	4,316	5,300	4,508	5,360	5,357	5,605
OCEANIA:						
NEW CALEDONIA.....	34	18	25	25	25	25
NEW GUINEA.....	265	460	480	560	624	650
NEW HEBRIDES.....	4	2	2	2	2	2
TOTAL.....	303	480	507	587	651	677
WORLD TOTAL.....	67,640	58,291	71,834	76,485	62,257	77,409

1/ Coffee marketing year begins about July in some countries and in others about October. 2/ Of 60 kilograms each. 3/ As indicated in footnote 1, the coffee marketing year begins in some countries as early as July. Ecuador is one of these countries. Hence, the crop harvested principally during June-October 1971 in that country is shown as production for the 1971-72 marketing year. In Ecuador, however, this is referred to as the 1970-71 crop.

Note: Production estimates for some countries include cross-border movements.

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COFFEE: GREEN EXPORTABLE PRODUCTION IN SPECIFIED COUNTRIES (IN THOUSANDS OF BAGS) 2/

= AVERAGE 1965-66/1969-70+ ANNUAL 1970-71/1974-75 1/

REGION AND COUNTRY	AVERAGE 1965-66/1969-70	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75
NORTH AMERICA						
COSTA RICA.....	1,110	1,095	1,190	1,160	1,420	1,175
CUBA.....	56	50	35	20	50	—
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	415	505	490	490	600	495
EL SALVADOR.....	1,976	2,015	2,440	1,935	1,895	2,470
GUADELOUPE.....	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
GUATEMALA.....	1,585	1,590	1,845	1,990	1,925	1,915
HAITI.....	314	350	370	325	340	320
HONDURAS.....	362	460	575	720	635	595
JAMAICA.....	7	5	9	6	14	5
MARTINIQUE.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
HEXICO.....	1,925	1,680	1,835	2,100	1,690	1,835
NICARAGUA.....	462	570	615	480	496	558
PANAMA.....	18	9	23	20	—	—
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	42	53	27	40	13	21
US-HAWAII.....	11	10	1	2	—	—
US-PUERTO RICO.....	6	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL.....	7,890	8,392	9,455	9,288	9,078	9,389
SOUTH AMERICA						
BOLIVIA.....	45	65	65	65	73	68
BRAZIL.....	15,039	1,500	14,850	15,000	6,370	18,635
COLOMBIA.....	6,740	6,390	5,750	7,430	6,250	6,900
ECUADOR 4/	769	1,080	875	860	625	725
GUYANA.....	1	—	—	—	—	—
PARAGUAY.....	38	13	43	35	18	22
PERU.....	680	760	800	800	750	640
SURINAM.....	2	1	1	1	1	1
VENEZUELA.....	235	265	300	430	255	270
TOTAL.....	23,550	10,074	22,684	24,621	14,342	27,261
AFRICA						
ANGOLA.....	3,112	3,200	3,300	3,400	3,095	2,895
BURUNDI.....	249	345	395	350	345	395
CAMEROON.....	1,090	1,125	1,220	1,410	1,473	1,473
CAPE VERDE ISLANDS.....	2	—	—	—	—	—
CENT AFRICAN REP.....	168	150	165	170	179	169
CHAD ISLANDS.....	1	1	1	1	—	—
CONGO, BRAZZAVILLE.....	14	14	13	13	9	9
DAHOMEY.....	15	14	14	14	12	13
EQUATORIAL GUINEA.....	119	115	110	110	100	115
ETHIOPIA.....	1,346	1,450	1,490	1,410	1,005	1,340
GABON.....	17	14	9	14	8	9
GHANA.....	66	62	67	67	31	31
GUINEA.....	154	145	95	120	100	109
IVORY COAST.....	3,795	3,950	4,400	4,985	3,219	3,932
KENYA.....	812	988	973	1,240	1,073	1,072
LIBERIA.....	62	80	65	80	60	69
HALAGASY REPUBLIC.....	794	1,175	835	865	865	960
NIGERIA.....	42	65	50	40	11	12
RWANDA.....	163	245	254	180	260	250
SAO TOME-BRINCIPE.....	4	1	1	1	—	—
SIERRA LEONE.....	81	120	90	130	62	128
TANZANIA.....	808	930	830	780	678	828
TOGO.....	193	197	197	197	177	197
UGANDA.....	2,872	2,985	2,830	3,280	3,078	3,078
ZAIRE (CONGO-K.).....	940	1,150	1,200	1,265	1,040	975
TOTAL.....	16,920	18,521	18,604	20,122	16,840	18,059
ASIA						
INDIA.....	497	1,150	435	820	730	855
INDONESIA.....	1,598	1,450	1,320	1,650	1,795	1,825
MALAYSIA.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
PHILIPPINES.....	—	22	—	—	—	—
PORTUGUESE TIMOR.....	42	40	60	60	50	54
VIETNAM SOUTH.....	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
YEMEN.....	55	40	35	35	20	30
TOTAL.....	2,192	2,702	1,850	2,565	2,595	2,764
OCEANIA						
NEW CALEDONIA.....	26	8	15	15	14	14
NEW GUINEA.....	250	456	474	554	620	646
NEW HEBRIDES.....	3	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL.....	279	465	490	570	635	661
WORLD TOTAL.....	50,831	40,154	53,083	57,166	43,530	58,134

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GREEN COFFEE: VALUE OF EXPORTS BY SPECIFIED PRODUCING COUNTRIES
1969-73 1/

(In million U.S. dollars)

Country	1969	1970	1971	1972 <u>2/</u>	1973 <u>3/</u>
Costa Rica	56	73	59	78	94
Dominican Republic	21	26	23	25	43
El Salvador	87	111	91	106	157
Guatemala	81	100	100	105	146
Haiti	17	15	25	14	21
Honduras	18	26	23	30	47
Mexico	65	71	68	86	177
Nicaragua	21	32	29	33	55
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Brazil	813	939	772	992	1,244
Colombia	344	467	400	429	598
Ecuador	27	51	37	47	67
Peru	31	44	37	15	69
Venezuela	15	13	15	16	19
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Angola	112	134	139	132	199
Ethiopia	70	73	70	73	104
Ivory Coast	109	156	152	130	208
Kenya	47	62	54	69	100
Tanzania	36	44	32	54	69
Uganda	108	141	136	158	199
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India	27	30	35	38	60
Indonesia	50	64	56	58	74
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Total specified countries	2,155	2,672	2,353	2,688	3,750

1/ Coffee exports from these countries represent around 90 percent of total world exports.

2/ Revised. 3/ Preliminary.

Compiled from official statistics of foreign governments, reports of agricultural attachés and Foreign Service officers, trade reports, and other related source materials.

GREEN COFFEE: U.S. IMPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN, 1970-74

(In bags of 132.276 lbs. each)

Continent and country	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	<u>1/</u>
North America:						
Costa Rica	374,574	350,316	293,505	284,951	268,181	
Dominican Republic	352,149	329,125	400,635	508,241	380,664	
El Salvador	539,191	622,562	391,242	1,047,283	1,111,021	
Guatemala	711,876	795,293	698,609	1,111,003	1,096,322	
Haiti	60,034	136,694	139,230	110,127	114,138	
Honduras	213,487	194,060	163,958	254,685	178,541	
Mexico	982,062	1,169,606	1,069,622	1,641,246	1,323,877	
Nicaragua	127,827	182,213	111,202	146,976	65,931	
Panama	4,140	10,403	5,704	7,934	0	
Trinidad and Tobago	28,285	45,036	20,836	23,880	3,473	
Other	2,436	198	134	675	141,156	
Total North America	3,396,061	3,835,506	3,294,677	5,137,001	4,683,304	
South America:						
Brazil	4,717,133	5,991,052	6,152,132	4,626,691	2,725,379	
Colombia	2,497,103	2,639,169	2,710,953	2,878,420	3,089,719	
Ecuador	599,926	404,317	490,282	435,709	511,568	
Peru	523,055	437,872	509,106	476,386	286,026	
Venezuela	253,030	245,681	242,769	174,163	245,745	
Other	42,862	10,989	98,109	31,550	12,120	
Total South America	8,633,109	9,729,080	10,203,351	8,622,919	6,870,557	
Africa:						
Angola	1,378,325	1,557,207	1,297,428	1,695,502	2,395,942	
Burundi	2/	222,240	309,135	226,097	97,546	
Cameroon	419,601	338,279	357,921	364,274	248,465	
Ethiopia	1,070,504	1,127,954	965,009	1,061,506	504,106	
Ivory Coast	1,233,223	1,134,561	976,909	1,150,074	748,635	
Kenya	173,447	136,127	146,332	118,322	183,563	
Madagascar Republic	308,045	436,126	294,930	322,442	368,574	
Rwanda	3/	331,837	161,220	207,359	144,995	285,277
Tanzania	281,629	217,269	236,345	247,389	163,022	
Uganda	923,541	820,130	898,638	938,082	936,738	
Zaire (Congo, Kinshasa)	173,875	390,663	218,010	307,625	311,879	
Other	305,893	206,767	217,400	264,464	128,892	
Total Africa	6,599,920	6,748,543	6,125,416	6,840,772	6,372,639	
Asia and Oceania:						
India	52,008	119,084	105,920	241,052	106,931	
Indonesia	822,069	891,402	743,458	627,736	941,517	
Other	221,912	318,474	236,520	299,424	230,766	
Total Asia and Oceania	1,095,989	1,328,960	1,085,898	1,168,212	1,279,214	
Other countries	1,600	4,129	47,400	84,618	36,841	
Grand total	19,726,679	21,646,218	20,756,742	21,853,522	19,242,555	

1/ Preliminary.2/ Included with Rwanda. 3/ Includes Burundi.

Compiled from U.S. Bureau of Census data.

GREEN COFFEE: U.S. GROSS IMPORTS FOR CONSUMPTION BY MONTHS, 1970-74

(In bags of 132.276 lbs. each)

Calendar year :	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974 <u>1/</u>
January	1,788,393	2,001,664	2,547,359	1,996,285	2,182,348
February	1,840,740	1,530,384	2,172,388	1,844,698	2,021,633
March	1,715,678	1,479,955	1,137,258	2,100,438	2,457,448
April	1,638,688	2,031,987	1,146,043	2,049,536	2,264,222
May	1,643,781	1,760,254	1,783,520	2,494,016	1,867,795
June	1,890,940	1,939,453	1,452,121	1,714,696	1,528,705
January-June ...	10,518,220	10,743,697	10,238,689	12,199,669	12,322,151
July	1,549,915	2,131,707	1,434,110	1,572,749	1,498,994
August	1,611,247	2,719,345	1,946,966	1,731,386	1,152,052
September	1,354,545	2,737,661	2,148,989	1,403,295	820,716
October	1,713,547	620,868	2,056,863	1,628,443	739,702
November	1,596,844	874,923	1,642,774	1,637,462	1,159,285
December	1,382,361	1,818,017	1,288,351	1,680,518	1,549,655
July-December ...	9,208,459	10,902,521	10,518,053	9,653,853	6,920,404
Calendar year :					
total	19,726,679	21,646,218	20,756,742	21,853,522	19,242,555
Fiscal year :					
total <u>2/</u>	21,656,103	19,952,156	21,141,210	22,717,722	21,976,004
ICO year <u>3/</u>	21,202,991	23,025,162	19,082,562	21,895,087	20,740,336

1/ Preliminary.2/ Year ending June 30 of year shown.3/ Year ending September 30 of year shown, ICO is International Coffee Organization.

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GREEN COFFEE: U.S. GROSS IMPORTS BY COUNTRY OR AREA OF ORIGIN,
AVERAGE 1966-70, Annual 1971-74

Area of origin	Average 1966-70	Mil. bags	Per- cent	1973	1974								
Brazil	6.32	29	5.99	28	6.15	30	4.63	21	2.73	14			
Africa and Asia	7.74	36	8.08	37	7.21	35	8.01	37	7.65	40			
Europe	3/	--	3/	--	.05	--	.08	--	.04	--			
Mild coffees:													
Colombia	2.76	13	2.64	12	2.71	13	2.88	13	3.09	16			
Other South America	1.25	6	1.10	5	1.34	6	1.11	5	1.05	6			
Mexico and Central America	3.24	14	3.33	16	2.73	13	4.50	21	4.04	21			
Caribbean43	2	.51	2	.56	3	.64	3	.64	3			
Total Milds	7.68	35	7.58	35	7.34	35	9.13	42	8.82	46			
Total World	21.74	100	21.65	100	20.75	100	21.85	100	19.24	100			

1/ Preliminary. 2/ 132.276 lb. or 60 kg. 3/ Less than 10,000 bags.

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